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RAIDED THE MAYOR.

Temperance Crusaders After Sioux City's Executive.

AN EVENING CALL EXTRAORDINARY.

The Victim Located by a Scout and Offered Some Suggestions as to His Duties—His Honor Declines to Act and Talks a Little Law Himself—Ungracious Remark by a Fair Crusader—Novel Occurrence as to Time and Place.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Oct. 3.—An incident that brought vividly to mind the great temperance crusade of several years ago took place in this city Wednesday night. Miss Frances Willard had been billed for a temperance address, and a good-sized audience had gathered to hear her. But the appointed hour came and went and the apostle of sobriety came not. Finally a message arrived saying that she was unable to reach the city in time to address the meeting. Some of the local enthusiasts were then invited to speak and were getting along swimmingly when one suggested that in view of the fact that there are over 100 places in the city where liquor is sold openly over the bar it would be a good idea for the meeting to take action and ask Mayor Palmer to use the power in his hands to close these places up and see to it that the prohibitory law is enforced.

Sent to Spy Out the Land.

The suggestion was a popular one and the other proceedings were at once lost sight of. The conservative workers proposed that resolutions be adopted and presented to the mayor as soon as possible, asking that something be done. But this did not satisfy the majority of the audience, which, it may be said, was made up largely of women. They proposed that the meeting resolve itself into a committee to call on the mayor forthwith and make their demands known. Then came a wrangle that occupied some time, and finally the interrogation was put: "What if we can't find the mayor?" That difficulty was easily surmounted, for a messenger was sent out to scour the city and locate its municipal head. The women cautioned him to be sure and search the saloons if nowhere else he was successful.

The Charge of the Fair Brigade.

While the messenger was gone the time was spent in singing and prayer. Soon the emissary returned with the statement that Mayor Palmer had been found and invited to attend the meeting and had refused. That settled it, and when the announcement was made that the mayor was at home the meeting rose as one man and woman and started for his residence. The crowd was nearly 100 strong after the weak-kneed ones had dropped out, but it was soon discovered that although the locations of scores of holes-in-the-wall were positively known, not one in the assembly could tell where the mayor lived. A newspaper reporter kindly helped them out of this dilemma, and the municipal homestead was reached shortly before 11 o'clock at night.

His Honor Makes a Point.

Mayor Halmer received them graciously and listened attentively to what they had to say. They quoted Scripture and laid down the law, but when they made the demand that he close the saloons at once he told them that they had the remedy in their own hands; that he was ready to enforce the law if they would swear out informations. They asked him if it wasn't his duty to see that the law was enforced and he said it was, but that he must be furnished with evidence that the law was being violated and that it was not his duty to search for crime. They asserted that the people wanted prohibition and he mentioned the fact of his election over a prohibition candidate by a big majority.

A Rule That Works Both Ways.

"Why," said he, "500 of the leading business men of the city—the men who have built the corn palace—have petitioned me to let the saloons run, and I propose to do it without interfering with the law, which I will enforce when informations are sworn out. No doubt there is a law on the statute books of Iowa prohibiting the sale of liquors, and I stand ready to enforce it, but I won't turn myself into a policeman to do it. You say if I see the law violated and don't take action I share in the violation. You also say that you see liquor sold every day, yet you refuse to swear out informations against what you choose to call criminals."

The Closing Devotions.

After some further parleying a lady asked permission to pray for the mayor, that he might see the error of his way. He cheerfully assented and she knelt down and offered up a supplication for his enlightenment. One woman remarked that it was casting pearls before swine, but even this did not ruffle the mayor's temper, and a few minutes later, seeing that nothing could be done, the crowd dispersed. On leaving Mayor Palmer bid them a cheerful good night, said he was glad to have met them, and would be pleased to see them again at any time.

Slashing Away at Passenger Rates.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 3.—The western trunk lines centering in Denver have begun the work of retaliation against the Missouri Pacific for cutting rates from Texas points to Chicago and St. Louis. The Rock Island has announced a round-trip rate from Colorado points to Chicago and St. Louis. The Rio Grande followed by announcing a half-fare rate to St. Louis. The Santa Fe posted a round-trip rate to Chicago of $30.65. A further reduction is expected.

Killed His Friend by Mistake.

COLUMBUS, Miss., Oct. 3.—Within the last few days the residence of Mr. E. R. Calhoun, of this place, has been entered by a burglar. Wednesday night Harry Calhoun and his young friend, Charley Mahon, were watching for the burglar when Mrs Calhoun gave an alarm. The boys were in different parts of the grounds, and Mahon, mistaking Calhoun for the burglar, fired and killed his friend instantly.

Killed in a Political Quarrel.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 3.—During a quarrel at St. Matthews, Orangeburg county, Thursday, M. L. Herlong fatally stabbed Capt. F. N. Wannamaker. The trouble grew out of political matters. Wannamaker and Herlong got into an altercation and Wannamaker struck Herlong, who used his knife with fatal effect. Herlong is foreman of the grand jury and is reported to be a peaceable man.

SOLONS IN A ROW.

An Exciting and Noisy Time in the Oklahoma Legislature.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Oct. 3.—Thursday was a day of extreme excitement in the legislature, the occasion being the consideration of the bill for the permanent location of the territorial capital. The lower house Wednesday passed the bill locating the capital at Oklahoma City. Before action had been taken on the bill in the upper house a motion in the lower house to reconsider the action of Wednesday was adopted. The friends of the measure, however, prevailed upon Speaker Daniels to sign the bill after the vote on reconsideration, and Representative Perry, having quietly possessed himself of the bill, was hurrying over to the chamber of the upper house to obtain the signature of the presiding officer of that body.

Wanted to Lynch Perry.

The vigilant enemies of the measure observed the move and the legislative body became a howling mob. The spectators joined the members on the floor, and an attack was made upon Speaker Daniels and it was demanded of him in a peremptory manner that he see to it that the bill be returned to the clerk. Daniels referred the crowd to Perry, who was just about to escape from the hall, and who in the meantime had handed the bill to Representative Nesbitt. Perry ran into the street with the mob at his heels. He was quickly caught. Some one cried "Hang him." The cry was taken up and became general. The crowd was in earnest. Perry begged for mercy and turned his pockets inside out. "Nesbitt has the bill," he cried.

Daniels Goes to the Governor.

Nesbitt was in the crowd and a rush was made for him. Perry, with his inside-out pockets flapping to the breeze, joining in the chase. Nesbitt kept ahead of the mob for four blocks, then his strength failed him and he suddenly surrendered. He was marched back to representative hall, where he was compelled to deposit the bill on the clerk's desk. Speaker Daniels took the bill, and, accompanied by W. H. Thompson as a witness, repaired to the governor's mansion, saying: "I signed this bill under misapprehension." In the meantime Capt. Cavanaugh, post commander, and United States Marshal Grimes appeared in representative hall and calmed the excited crowd, which still demanded the punishment of Perry and Nesbitt. Great excitement prevailed.

THINK THEY HAVE THE ROBBERS.

The Supposed Ohio Express Thieves Captured by Officers.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Oct. 3.—Two men suspected of being the express robbers were captured north of Bellefontaine at 8 o'clock Thursday morning by Sheriff W. W. Roach and Deputy J. C. Sullivan of Bellefontaine. Several shots were fired by the officers and one of the men returned the fire, but nobody was hit. The men would give no names or addresses, but they correspond to the description. A third man with them escaped after a hard run. The first inquiry of the prisoners was: "Did the big fellow get away?" The third man did all the shooting. The men captured had gone west to Degraff on the Big Four Thursday morning and returned on the first train. They were on the platform of the baggage car. They jumped from the train when they saw the officers.

The Third Man Captured.

It was supposed that the third man, the one who escaped at Bellefontaine, had the money. A special engine was sent out from Bellefontaine on which were Detective Schultz, Detective Larry Hazen of Cincinnati, Sheriff Roach, Deputy Sullivan, and other officials to capture the third man. They succeeded in catching him. He was arrested near Kenton. He is not one of the robbers, but is a valuable witness, as he says he was with them in Urbana where they tried to rob a house. Five Pinkerton men have arrived and been put to work on the case. It is believed the robbery was done by a western gang who miscalculated. Wednesday morning the express messenger had $38,960.

LOST THEIR POSTOFFICE.

Some South Carolina People Who Think the Spoils Belong to the Vanquished.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 3.—The postoffice at Bishopville, Sumter county, has been closed by order of Mr. Wanamaker. Early last winter the old postmaster, H. G. Scarborough, a Democrat, was removed, and a negro, Isaac R. Miller, appointed to his place. When he went to take charge he found his office boycotted and the people highly indignant, and for a while the nearest postoffices were used. Finally, however, they grew tired of this and tried to get the negro to resign, but he refused.

Succeeded in Their Object Too Well.

This refusal made the citizens more indignant than ever, and soon the postmaster and his assistant were arrested on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. They were fined $25 and bound over to appear at the higher court. A short time ago W. L. Dennis, a white man, was appointed, but when he tried to qualify and take charge of the office, he was prevented by the hostility of the people and his consequent inability to give bonds. Thereupon the office was closed.

Rev. De Ford Released on Bail.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 3.—The Rev. A. M. De Ford, charged with passing raised bills, was released from the county jail Thursday in $2,000 bail, furnished by Robert McMillan, the Oshkosh millionaire, who is the father of the Methodist church in this state. The reverend clergyman left for his home at Hortonville, accompanied by his wife, who arrived from Chicago. As the pulpit of the Hortonville church has been filled since the Rev. De Ford's imprisonment, he will have to seek other employment at least until his trial, when, it is said, he will plead guilty and receive his sentence.

Fire at Mansfield, Ohio.

MANSFIELD, Ohio, Oct. 3.—The Mansfield carriage hardware company's works were totally destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock Friday morning. The works were closed for repairs, and the cause of the fire is unknown. Loss estimated at $30,000; insurance, $10,000. The works were almost totally destroyed by fire four years ago, when operated by the firm of Schreidt & Miller.

Died from a Bruised Knee.

CARLYLE, Ills., Oct. 3.—Joseph Kaiser, son of F. D. Kriser, a prominent citizen of Carlyle, died in this city Thursday. Several days ago while leaping a ditch he fell, bruising his knee, from which blood poisoning set in and caused death.

TROUBLE MAY RESULT.

Demands of the National Gas Workers' Union.

PROSCRIPTION OF NON-UNION MEN.

The London Gas Light and Coke Company Refuses to Grant the Demands and Are Prepared for Trouble—Soldiers Held in Readiness—The London Times on the McKinley Bill—Severe Storm in Germany—Five Lives Lost.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The National Gas Workers' union has demanded that the London Gaslight and Coke company shall employ only union men. A deputation called upon the company's officers to receive their response to the demand. The directors emphatically declined to accede to the demand made by the union. The stokers threaten to strike in consequence of this refusal. A storm has been brewing between the company and its men for months, and the number of men involved is six times larger than the number engaged in any of the previous gas house strikes.

Measures of Protection.

The company is making preparations to conduct its business despite any action the men may take. Long sheds have been erected within the works for living quarters for the non-union men, and hundreds of beds have been provided for their use. The authorities too have taken energetic measures to suppress any disorder. Orders have already been issued that 890 soldiers at Chatham be in readiness to proceed at a moment's notice to protect the gas works and the men who refuse to join in a strike. Each soldier has been served with twenty rounds of ball cartridge. The company has a capital of $60,000,000 and employs 11,000 men.

OTHER FOREIGN ITEMS.

England Will Have to Hustle.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The St. James Gazette dismisses the church congress, the German Socialist situation, the great labor troubles, and other leading questions of the day to declare that the most important news is the statement made by Sir James Kitson to the iron and steel congress in New York, that America has reached the position of the greatest iron producing nation in the world. The Gazette declares that it behooves England to consider the immense meaning it has in respect to her future relative commercial position.

The Irish Patriots' Trial.

TIPPERARY, Oct. 3.—Mr. Ronan, counsel for the crown, in the cases against Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien, having stated in court Friday that he was ignorant of the length of time likely to be consumed in the trial, Mr. Healy, counsel for the defendants, replied that he labored under a mortal fear that it would last for at least six months. Mr. Healy's remarks were greeted with laughter.

Still Discussing the McKinley Bill.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The Times says that the McKinley tariff bill must be recognized as a demonstration of hostility against England hardly less decided than the Berlin and Milan decrees of Napoleon I. The News' Berlin dispatch says it is stated that Germany contemplates reprisals if America refuses to modify the McKinley tariff.

Fourteen Students Arrested.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 3.—The university has been reopened, after six months' suspension of work and a careful weeding out of students. It is reported that the students' agitation has been renewed. Fourteen students, it is said, were arrested Thursday night and imprisoned, and all information has been refused to their relatives.

Severe Storm in Germany.

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—A storm which prevailed throughout this section caused serious damage to property in this city. In Hamburg five persons lost their lives. The lower portions of that city were submerged and the Newmuhlen bathing houses were broken up and swept away.

THE CONFLAGRATION AT COLON.

Three-Fourths of the City Wiped Out, Causing a Loss of $2,000,000.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—With the arrival of the Pacific mail steamer Newport from Colon have come full particulars of the fire which wiped out three-fourths of the city ten days ago at a monetary loss of nearly $2,000,000. Colon is the Atlantic terminus of the Panama railroad, and was therefore the great receiving station for men and materials of the Panama canal. In 1885 the city was totally destroyed by revolutionists, at a loss of $3,500,000. But the Panama canal scheme was then alive, and a new city arose from the ruins. The town was almost altogether built of wood, most of the houses being low square frame stores and dwellings. As soon as the fire reached Front street there was a curious sight. This street was paved with boards, covered with tar to prevent their sinking into the soft and swampy ground beneath. As soon as this curious pavement caught fire the flames ran the length of the street, changing it literally into a river of fire. The houses on either side were immediately licked up.

Powderly Will Use the Boycott.

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 3.—"Will the order of the Knights of Labor resent this position of the Central road in any way?" was asked of Mr. Powderly Thursday night.

"Most assuredly we will. I shall esteem it my duty," said Mr. Powderly emphatically, "to call upon the members of our order at once to notify their friends that there are better roads to ride over than the New York Central. We will go farther than that. We shall call upon business men, shippers of goods, and others doing business with that company and request them to direct their patronage into other channels."

An Old Lady Disappears.

VANDALIA, Ills., Oct. 3.—Friends and relatives of Mrs. J. W. Conn, a widow lady residing near Vera, are greatly worried over her strange disappearance. She left home Sept. 15 last, and was seen by her son, with whom she lived, walking toward Vera. Since that time no definite trace has been had of her. Some time before she had told the folks that she was going to take a trip north, but specified no particular time or place. The old lady was known to be rather eccentric at times.

PARALYZED BY FRIGHT.

Two Men Run Down by a Sunday-School Excursion Train.

BLOOMBURG, Pa., Oct. 3.—An excursion train on the Lehigh Valley road struck and killed two men near Delano. The train was made up of seven coaches, loaded with Sunday-school children from Mauahanoy City en route to Glen Onoko for their annual picnic. As the train rounded the curve near Delano the engineer saw the men on the track and at once reversed the lever and gave the alarm. They did not move, and the engineer realized that for some reason they were unable to get out of the way.

Clasped in Each Others Arms.

The momentum of the train pushed the engine forward at a rapid rate and threw the men from the track. When their bodies were picked up it was evident that they had become terror-stricken, and clasped each other in a deathly embrace. One arm of each was wound about the body of his companion and the other hands were found a short distance away clasped together. The picnic was abandoned because of the accident, and the children were taken home. The unfortunate men were entire strangers in the vicinity, and the bodies have not been identified.

THE COMTE DE PARIS HERE.

He Arrives at New York on the Steamship Germania.

NEW YORK, Oct 3.—The Comte de Paris, the Duc d'Orleans, the Duc d'Uzes, the Marquis d'Lastayrie, the Comte d'Haussonville, with Col. De Parseval, Capt. Morhain, and Dr. Recamier, comprising the suite of the comte, arrived here Friday on the steamship Germania. The visit of the party to this country is purely one of pleasure. Collector Ehrhardt, with a number of army officers, went down the bay and met the comte and his party and extended a welcome to them on behalf of the president and the government of the United States, the local Legion and the Army of the Potomac. The Comte d'Paris, while willing to talk freely on almost any subject, absolutely refused to speak of or listen to any talk on political matters. Col. Erhardt and party went down the bay on a tug. Among the party were Gens. Butterfield, Fitzjohn Porter, Slocum, Keyes, Howard, Newton, Parke, Beirne, Martin T. McMahon, and Col. Coppinger.

She Locked Her Children In.

READING, Pa., Oct. 3.—Samuel Eck's three little children were so horribly burned Thursday at Topton that they can not recover. Their mother had left them locked in the house while she went out on an errand. Shortly after she left the house was in flames. It is supposed the children set fire to it while playing with the fire in the kitchen stove. Neighbors hastened to the place on seeing the flames and forced an entrance. The smoke that filled the lower room threatened to baffle their attempts to rescue the children, aged respectively 1, 2½ and 5 years, whose cries for aid were heard. But some brave railroad hands rushed in and brought the children out one by one, their clothing in a blaze.

Bishop and Editor at War.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 3.—Trouble that has been brewing for some time between Bishop Gilmour and J. J. Greeves, editor of The Catholic Knight, which Greeves claims is the official organ of the Knights of St. John, and which the bishop denies, culminated Thursday afternoon in the bishop publishing certain decrees of the third council of Baltimore. These decrees permit canonical punishment of publishers who make hostile attacks on church authority. In his publication Bishop Gilmour reserves to himself the right of absolution of not only Greeves, but all those who handle, encourage or read The Catholic Knight.

Devilish Deed of a Negro.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 4.—Gracie Clark, the 10-year-old daughter of Thomas T. Clark, a farmer, was assaulted on Sunday evening while she was playing in her father's barn near Newcastle by Jacob Starker, a negro weighing 190 pounds. Starker was captured Thursday and had to be taken secretly to the jail, owing to threats made against him. The negro had compelled the child to keep silent about the affair under a threat of drowning her, but her sufferings through injury became unbearable and she told everything.

Teemer Defeats Hanlan.

EAST LIVERPOOL, Ohio, Oct. 3.—The race Thursday between Teemer and Hanlon was won by the former, Teemer landing easily at the finish. The race was for $1,000, which was subscribed by the citizens of East Liverpool, and was given as an additional attraction to the fair now being held at that place. No time is given in the race, as it was a one-mile scull, down stream, and the steamboats containing the judges could not keep up the pace.

Sensational Suicide at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct 3.—A sensational suicide was committed here Friday morning by Harrison Newman, who jumped from the bridge that spans the Ohio into the falls. His brains were dashed out on the rocks below. He was a brother of Scott Newman, a leading politician and contractor, who was indicted last Monday on the charge of robbing the city on a big granite contract. No reason has been assigned for the deed.

Sensational Divorce Suit.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Mrs. Emma C. Rathborne, Jr., formerly Miss Pullman, commenced in the superior court Thursday the long expected bill for divorce against her husband, Richard N. Rathborne, Jr. The parties to the suit are of Chicago's Four Hundred. The wife's charges throw considerable light on the scandal that has been hinted at of late, and every line is a sensation.

Fatal Shooting in Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Oct. 4.—A pistol fight took place at Ashford, Henry county, Wednesday between J. F. Thompson and W. H. Rigell. Thompson opened fire on Rigell, who responded, and eight or ten shots were fired. Thompson was killed. Rigell escaped injury and surrendered to the sheriff. The cause of the trouble was a piece of land which both men claimed.

Excursionists in Peril.

PEORIA, Ills., Oct. 3.—The boiler of the steamer Gold Eagle, of Pekin, owned by Capt. J. C. Louch, burst Thursday morning while opposite the north side of the city. A family party of sixteen persons miraculously escaped death. The boiler was blown entirely through the bottom of the boat, and lies in the river.

THIRTY-SEVEN DAYS

Consumed by the National House in Roll Calls.

WHAT READING CLERK SMITH SAYS.

He Gives Some Figures Which May Be of Interest to the Voters of the Country—Four Hundred and Sixty-Two Roll Calls in the House During the Session of Congress Just Ended—Dilatory Motions of Members.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 3.—Harry Smith, journal clerk of the house of representatives, has made some calculations about the time spent in roll calls by the house during the session just closed. He says: "The total number of roll calls, which includes all calls of the house, is 462. A careful test made shows that the average time required in making a roll-call, recapitulating the names, and announcing the pairs is twenty-four minutes. Except when delay is desired the names of members voting are not recapitulated and pairs are announced but once each day. The 462 roll calls had, during the last session, therefore consumed 11,088 minutes, or 184 hours of time. Taking the average daily session to be five hours this makes a trifle less than thirty-seven days consumed in roll calls alone.

Used as a Dilatory Proceeding.

"During the first session of the fiftieth congress—the longest on record—there were but 207 roll calls, there being sixty-five roll calls and five calls of the house on the direct tax bill alone, all of which were purely 'filibustering' proceedings, which are now prohibited by the rules. Of the 462 roll calls during the last session, it is within bounds to say that nearly one-half were dilatory motions in purpose and effect, in spite of the rule providing that 'no dilatory motion shall be entertained by the speaker.' The constitutional provision that 'the yeas and nays of the members of either house on any question shall, at the desire of one-fifth of those present, be entered on the journal,' has been utilized as a dilatory proceeding.

A Close Prediction.

"I predicted immediately after the adoption of the present code of rules, on the 14th of February last, that there would be at least 450 roll calls during the session. That number has been exceeded by twelve, and I have no doubt that there will be a correspondingly large number of roll calls at the next session. That is 'cold politics,' as has been neatly put, and is the 'last ditch' of the minority party. It can not be avoided except by change of the constitution, which is possible but not probable, or by a change of public sentiment, which is not only possible, but probable."

The President Going West.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 3.—President Harrison will leave Washington for the west Monday morning via the Chesapeake and Ohio railway, as far as Cincinnati—Mr. Charles B. Bishop, general eastern passenger agent having charge of the party over the Chesapeake and Ohio road. The itinerary of the trip has not yet been definitely arranged; but will include visits and short stops at Cincinnati, Danville, Ills., Vincennes, and Terre Haute, Ind., Galesburg, Ills., and Ottumwa, Iowa, Topeka and Kansas City, Kan., on the way west, and St. Louis, Indianapolis, and Fort Wayne, Ind., on the return trip; returning to Washington Tuesday morning, Oct. 14.

A BRAVE CHICAGO WOMAN.

She Battles Single-Handed with Four Burglars Until Overcome.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Single-handed and alone Mrs. Louise Carbine, of 194 West Lake street, battled with four burglars about 8 o'clock Thursday night. They finally overcome the brave little woman, but not until she had made a brave fight and done considerable execution with a chair. Early in the evening four well-dressed men were seen walking up and down Lake street. At 8 o'clock they rang the door bell. She opened the door, and the men pushed their way past her and closed the door behind them. One held Mrs. Carbine while the other three ransacked the house. They took several articles of jewelry and were preparing to leave.

Beaten into Insensibility.

Suddenly she tore herself away and seizing a chair dealt one of the men a blow that felled him to the floor. The four men then attacked the woman and she defended herself with remarkable bravery until overcome. Then the brutes beat her into insensibility and left. It was some time before Mrs. Carbine recovered consciousness. She then sent word to the police and described the men with great accuracy. Up to an early hour Friday morning no arrests had been made.

Iron Men at Delmonico's.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The annual dinner of the Iron and Steel institute took place at Delmonico's Thursday evening. About 250 members of the British and American institutes were present. Sir James Kittson presided, flanked by Gen. Sherman and Sir Lewthian Bell. The German delegates to the iron and steel congress were entertained in the evening by the Liederkranz society at their club house. The German imperial flag was hoisted on the building in honor of the guests.

Prohibitionists Backed by Prayer.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Nebraska Prohibitionists will be backed in the coming November elections by the prayers of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Oct. 29 has been set aside as a day of prayer by the W. C. T. U. throughout the western states, and the Central union, of this city, will hold all-day meetings at the First Presbyterian church to pray for the success of the Prohibition party in Nebraska.

Missing and Short as Usual.

VIRGINIA, Ill., Oct. 3.—Miller F. Hageman, a grain dealer, railroad and express agent and general grocer, of Jules, Cass County, left for Dakota Sept. 23. His prolonged absence caused an examination of his books, which discloses a shortage of nearly $10,000, which amount is due farmers living in the vicinity of Jules for grain.

Two Children Burned to Death.

MARLBORO, Mass., Oct. .—Two children of Nelson Dion, aged 7 and 4 respectively, were burned to death Thursday night by [illegible] of a lamp.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

A jury in the case of Whelan, administrator, vs. the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad at Iowa City, Iowa, Thursday returned a verdict for $10,000 damages for the death of William Doyle, a section hand killed in 1888 by the open door of a passing car.

James Toner, a well-known lawyer of Boston, was shot in a crowded thoroughfare by a crazy Italian.

Police at Parkersburg, W. Va., arrested six tramps and took from them a 12-year-old boy. The lad said he had been kidnaped from Ottawa, Ont.

Of the $100,000 needed to establish a woman's medical college in connection with John Hopkin's university, more than $60,000 has been raised.

Abraham Kleine, for half a century a resident of Galena, Ills., died Thursday. He was exiled from Germany for political reasons.

John Slough, a well-known resident of Elkhart, Ind., died Thursday night of lockjaw, the result of running a rusty nail into his foot three weeks ago.

Amos Rusie, the pitcher, was on Thursday signed for the New York National league base ball team for next season at a salary of $4,000.

The death of a negress whose age was 125 years is reported from Antonio De Los Barios, Cuba.

It is said there are only two red slate quarries in the United States—one in Vermont and the other in Virginia.

The prickly pear is overrunning and destroying some of the best and most fertile lands in South Africa.

William Olson, of Iron Mountain, Mich., was fatally hurt Thursday while coupling cars.

J. K. Gardner, a lumber dealer of Ridgeway, Pa., was jostled by several men in a train near Pittsburg Thursday, and when he reached the city proper found that he had been robbed of a pocket-book containing $10,000.

It is reported that the cholera has appeared in Aden.

A great many of the oranges on the west coast of Florida have been sold for $1 per box on the trees. This is a better price than in any previous year.

An Armenian advocate has been assassinated in Stamboul by order of the Armenian revolutionary committee, who suspect him of betraying them to the porte.

A man at Buchanan, Mich., is coining money out of a mushroom orchard.

Thursday a committee reached Denver, Col., to solicit aid for settlers in the eastern part of the state. Crops there were a total failure, and many families lack the necessaries of life.

Delia Carpenter, a dissolute woman of East Dubuque, was killed Wednesday night by the overturning of her carriage.

Death of a Maryland Politician.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 3.—Phillip Francis Thomas died Thursday. He was one of the best known and highly respected characters in the state. In 1839 he was elected to the Twenty sixth congress. Later he was governor of Maryland, secretary of the treasury for a short period under President Buchanan, and at different times member of the house of delegates. He was elected United States senator in 1866, but was refused admission because of alleged disloyalty to the Union during the war.

Great Potato Crop in Michigan.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. Oct. 3.—The potato crop in northern Michigan is all that could be desired. In the Traverse Bay region enough potatoes have been grown to supply several states, while through the central part of the northern district such a crop as the one this year has rarely been gathered. Last year all the potatoes wanted could have been had for from 10 to 15 cents a bushel, but this year the farmers are receiving from 65 cents to 75 cents a bushel delivered on board the cars.

Bancroft's 90th Birthday.

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 3.—The venerable historian George Bancroft quietly celebrated his 90th birthday Friday at his home.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.

Quotations on the board of trade to-day were as follows: Wheat—No. 2 October, opened 96⅛c, closed 96⅞c; December, opened 99⅝c, closed $1.00; May, opened $1.04⅝, closed $1.04⅝. Corn—No. 2 October, opened 47⅝c, closed 48⅛c; December, opened 48c, closed 48¾c; May, opened 50⅝c, closed 50⅝c. Oats—No. 2 October, opened and closed 38⅛c, December, opened and closed 38⅝c; May, opened 41⅝c, closed 41⅛. Pork—October, opened $9.65, closed $9.60; January, opened $11.62½, closed $11.67½; May, opened $12.25, closed $12.27½. Lard—October, opened $6.17½, closed $6.15.

Live stock—Union stock yards prices: Hogs—Market fairly active but prices average 5c lower than yesterday morning; light grades, $4.10@4.65; rough packing, $3.90@4.05; mixed lots, $4.05@4.50; heavy packing and shipping lots, $4.10@4.55.

Cattle—Stock cattle, $2.00@3.20; cows and bulls, $1.40@2.75; Texas steers, $1.00@3.10; western range steers, $2.80@3.85; calves, $2.00@4.75. Sheep—$2.75@4.90, lambs $3.50@5.90.

Produce: Butter—Fancy separator, 23c per lb; fine gathered cream, 19@20c; finest dairies, 17@18c. Eggs—Fresh candled, loss off, 18c per doz. Live poultry—Chickens, hens and spring chickens, 8½@9c per lb; turkeys, 9@10c; ducks, 8½c. Potatoes—Choice to fancy, 70@75c per bu.; Wisconsin, 65@70c; sweet potatoes, $3.00@$3.25 per bbl. Apples—Illinois green cooking, $2.75@3.50 per bbl.; eating, $3.50@4.50.

New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.

Wheat—No. 2 red winter cash, $1.03½@1.04; do October, $1.01½; do November, $1.03; December, $1.04½. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 55¾@56¼c cash; do October, 55½c; do November, 56⅜c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed cash, 44½@44⅝c; do October, 44⅝c; do November, 44½c. Rye and barley—Nominal. Pork—Dull; mess, $11.5 @12.25. Lard—Dull and unchanged.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, Oct. 3.

Wheat—Quiet, firm; cash and October, 99¼c; December, 1.01¼; May, $1.05¼. Corn—Quiet: cash, 49c bid; December, 47c bid; May, 50¼c bid. Oats—Steady; cash 39¼c; May, 42½c bid. Clover seed—Quiet; cash and October, $4.07; December, $4.15 asked; February, $4.25.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 3.

Wheat—Lower; cash, 96c; December, 99¼c; May, $1.05¾. Corn—Higher; 46⅝c; December, 47c; May, 48⅝@48¾c. Oats—Firm; cash, 37c bid; October, 37¼c; May, 41⅝c. Pork—Dull; jobbing, $10.00. Lard—Dull; $6.00. Whisky—Steady; $1.13.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 3.

Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 spring on track, cash, 94@96c; December, 95⅝c; No. 1 northern, 96c. Corn—Steady; No. 3 on track, 46c. Oats—Quiet; No. 2, 39⅝c.

Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 3.

Wheat—No. 1 white, 99c; No. 2 red cash, 99⅛c; December, $1.00¾; May, $1.06¼. Corn—[illegible] December, [illegible] Oats—No. 2 [illegible] white [illegible]

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DECATUR REPUBLICANS HOLD PRELIMINARY OBSEQUIES.

The Convention a Sad Affair — Men Who were there—The Farmers Get an Assistant Temporary Secretary — Harnsberger, Mahanah, Maffit and Evans Nominated—The Farmer and Soldier Not in it — No Hope for Farmer on Legislative Ticket—Rowell and His Box

An ordinary attack of blues would have been considered a piece of howling enthusiasm at yesterday's republican convention, something that would have been handed over to the police as a disturber of the peace The republican party will furnish material for a very extensive funeral in the county this fall, and the leaders who were present yesterday wore all kinds of gloomy foreshadowings of mourning. Now and then some delegate would smile at the ridiculous performances of another, and all his neighbors would frown down such unbecoming levity during preparations for obsequies.

There was some doubt as to the time of day the convention should be called to order. The call mentioned no hour. That was fixed by a little local in the Rep of Thursday afternoon. This omission was got over by waiting for all the delegates to get into town. The crowd began to gather in the court room shortly after 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The first thing that was noticeable were some mottoes that hung on the walls. As you went in the big double folding doors you were greeted with a "Welcome to our Union defenders." This was done in evergreens that were green once, a long time ago. They were as yellow yesterday as slough grass in January. On the east wall there was a petition which said "Let us have peace." It was done in the same style of ancient evergreens. We don't know that this welcome and petition were got up specially for yesterday's convention. But the petition did some good; it shut off anything like troublesome resolutions.

The first thing that was called to the reporter's attention was John Lindsay in consultation with a colored delegate. Said John, in that facetious way of his, "we were one time black republicans together." This was doubtfully assented to. Then John remarked, "Your party has a good constituency and some fair principles, but it has fallen into the hands of very bad leaders." Our colored delegate knew the slate that was fixed up for the day, and he nearly soliloquized aloud, "Yes, very bad leaders." Then John invited him into the struggling composite party and the man fled.

The ceiling of the court room looks as if some one intended to start a school and use it as a blackboard. It was remarked that the republicans of this county should have assisted their colored constituency to a job

Harve Mahanah made his appearance in the room about a quarter past eleven. He moved around among the delegates as if he wanted to create the impression that he did not stand in with the ring, and that therefore he was compelled to rustle if he got a nomination. He carried a cigar in his teeth in a way to advise the world that he was dead set against any form of cremation.

The delegates roamed around the room and read the notices that hung from the gas fixtures. These notices informed them that spittoons were introduced in the building for the purpose of inducing temporary occupants not to expectorate on the carpet that might be brussels. They further read that the sheriff would see that the rule was complied with. But that crowd thought it was the creator of sheriffs, and so it spit where it pleased. Neither an actual nor prospective sheriff showed up. Maj. George R. Steele was about shaking hands as if he were conscious that no man can tell what wants or longings the morrow may bring forth. John A. Barnes held a conference with Mayor Kanan, word had gone round not to blow out the gas, and so everything was ready for the start.

Mayor Kanan ascended the platform at 11:25, looked as much like John J. Ingalls as was possible, and then called the convention to order by requesting the delegates to get inside the railing. The Mayor said that as the hour of the meeting had been left out of the call, they would only organize then and adjourn until after dinner. He nominated C. H. Patterson, of Wheatland, for temporary chairman. Patterson made a speech under some imaginary ten second rule. As Kanan was got up like Ingalls, he thought it necessary that the succeeding presiding officer should look like Tom Reed. Mr. Patterson most nearly filled this requirement. When Patterson finished his speech, the delegates noticed that he also bore a striking resemblance to a former worker in the Decatur ranks of the faithful patriots, Frank Falconer. There was some applause here; obviously on account of this discovery, for the speech was a very modest one.

L. F. Skelly was made temporary secretary. Mr. Skelly made no speech, and bearing no striking resemblance to any illustrious patriot at home or abroad, escaped without applause. W. H. Bean, of Pleasant View, was elected to the office of assistant temporary secretary. The name of the office reaches away into the next chapter, but its duties consist only in sharpening lead pencils for the fellow who holds first place. However, it is the only office the farmers got during the day, and now they look up to the ex-occupant as a wonderful wire puller. The farmers ask themselves, "how in the world did Mr. Bean manage to climb so high in such a crowd."

Corey Johns said that he understood there were no contests in the delegations, and therefore he moved that the two secretaries be appointed a committee on credentials to collect and record the names of delegates. This was carried. Mr. Johns, pursuing the same line of reasoning, could have truthfully announced that there was nothing like a genuine contest for any of the nominations, and then move that the secretaries have full power to report the candidates to the convention. The secretaries could have got the names of the men who would be nominated much easier than the names of the delegates. Mayor Kanan and some more of the boys had the first list made out days ago. Part of it was fixed up on the trip to Washington the time Harrison was inaugurated.

There was some trouble about adjourning for dinner. Kanan had suggested 1 o'clock. W. T. Moffitt arose to remark that he had a big dinner and no teeth, he wanted the time made 2 o'clock. After a few resolutions and amendments a compromise was made on 1:30 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Upon assembling after dinner the delegates were treated to the sight of Capt. W W Foster, ex-sheriff, ex-alderman, ex-fire marshal, acting in the peaceful capacity of bouquet holder to a lovely tube rose. D. A. Maffit also came on the scene. He was dressed in his best, and looked more like the ladies' darling than the people's. It is probable that there will be a hanging in Macon county within the next year. Mr. Maffit is entirely too sweet a man to put at such work

When time was called, Mr. Skelly was instructed to read the list of the delegates He did so, and asked each man to answer to his name. It was soon seen that about half of the country delegates did not answer present. They were in a side room holding a caucus, heaven only knows for what. When it was found out that they were still in town, the chairman got up and asked that their names be not stricken from the roll of delegates simply because they were not able to answer when first called The chairman's request was granted, and he actually looked surprised. The temporary organization was made permanent.

And Patterson made another speech upon the strength of this new honor, or rather an extension of an old one. He told that it was great love for the g. o. p. that made some of the delegates sacrifice time and interest and all that to be present. And then he told them that there was no sure thing this fall, either in county or state. He wound up by saying that Palmer had given his best days to the republican party, and that he must now be in his dotage to leave that party Nominations were next in order.

W. T. Moffitt nominated W. H. Harnsberger. Mr. Moffitt made a speech in which he wanted to give the earth to young men. He was trying to make a point against Judge Nelson. He was great on young men, and yet only a while before he wanted two hours for dinner because he had no teeth. Mr. Brown, of the Decatur bar, seconded the nomination. He dramatically told of first seeing Harnsberger in a rally crowd that came down from Bloomington. Brown is a great talker when there is nothing to say. When he started well in on that rally business we all thought he was depicting some battle field. There was talk of "courage," and "bold marching," and "never flinching,"—and then there was a climacteric collapse. Harnsberger survived all the dangers, strange to tell, and his reward is a nomination by acclamation.

COUNTY TREASURER.

John A. Barnes, of Blue Mound, nominated Harve Mahanah. Sylvester Jones nominated J. T. Bean, of Maroa. Jones said that Bean was an F. M. B. A. man, a representative farmer, and that the farmers were asking representation on the ticket Somebody named W. C. Burleigh, of Oakley, but he declined to have himself butchered to make a holiday for the Decatur ring. The chairman of each delegation was authorized to announce the vote. The roll was soon called and then it was known that Mahannah got 65 votes to 16 for Bean. Representative farmer No. 1 laid on the shelf to cool his vaulting ambition.

SHERIFF.

Corey Johns nominated D. A. Maffit "with great pleasure" S S Wallace came forward with another farmer. This time it was J. A. Cochran. He was spoken of as a representative farmer, and among his other qualities that were supposed would recommend him to a republican convention was mentioned the fact that he was a good old soldier, J V. Woody jumped up and seconded this nomination in an enthusiastic speech. Said he, "I second the nomination as an old comrade; and I think the men who stood the brunt when the country was in danger are the ones who should receive recognition here to-day." W. H. Bramble nominated Geo. W. Kraft, and said he was a man "who needs no speech." W. T. Moffitt seconded this nomination, and made another appeal for the farmers. He said he was some relation to D. A. Maffit, and in this case he preferred to stand by his farmer friends. Then some delegate gave himself the headache by arising and remarking that Corey Johns forgot to mention that D. A. Maffit was "a(n)ice man." Inquiry at a late hour last night at all the stations showed that the police have not yet got that fellow.

On the first call of the delegations Maffit got 51 votes, Kraft 12, Cochran 18 Maffit's nomination was made unanimous Farmers Nos. 2 and 3, and soldier No. 1, were thus sidetracked at one call of the roll.

T. L. Evans had no opposition for the nomination for county school superintendent.

CAPT. JONATHAN H. ROWELL

had come into the room some time before. When he first entered he was applauded by all those who want the postoffice, and this got up quite a noise. Corey Johns suggested that the captain be allowed to make a speech. This was put to a vote and carried. He was introduced to the audience as "the man whom we delight to honor honors us."

Rowell made what would be called a good republican speech. He enumerated several of the pledges made by the last republican platform, and then insisted in detail that the party had kept its promises He had along his patent ballot box that has been advertised by the Rep His son was along to manipulate this box. It has a contrivance on top by which you can let a vote fall outside the box According to the captain, it is used in Florida. The votes down there are numbered To work the racket the fellow who slips a vote down the outside of the box must have a confederate to look at its number, and then he puts the same number on the kind of a ballot desired and puts it in the box. The captain was asked how all this could go on without the republican judge tumbling to the racket. He says they have no republican judges down there. Well, if that is the case, what is the use of a patent box to manipulate the votes? If they are all democrats and are bent on crookedness, they could fix up the ballot after the polls closed. This story that comes from Florida, *via* Bloomington, is entirely overdone. More will be said of Rowell's speech at another time.

At the close of Rowell's speech the Macon delegation presented a resolution to the convention and asked its adoption. This is the resolution:

WHEREAS, The candidates for county officers, nominated by this convention, reside in the city of Decatur, therefore,

Resolved, That this convention, while not having any authority to instruct or command the properly selected delegates to the legislative conventions, deem it advisable that both of the candidates for Senator and Representative in the General Assembly should not be residents of the city of Decatur.

This resolution was interpreted by Corey Johns to mean that the country people wanted one representative on the legislative ticket John A Barnes is a city candidate for the legislature, and he had the nerve to oppose the resolution Corey Johns, who is involuntarily out of the line of candidates, supported it W H Bean gave notice that he was a delegate to the Senatorial convention, and that he would vote there as pleased him best A motion was made to lay the resolution on the table. It carried.

And this knocked out the rest of the republican farmers in the county The Decatur ring had now captured the earth and taken a lease on it. They made a motion to adjourn, and it carried.

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MORNING REVIEW

SATURDAY, OCTOBER, 4, 1890.

Democratic County Convention

The democratic voters of Macon county are hereby called upon to select delegates to a county convention to be held in the court house in the city of Decatur, on

SATURDAY, OCT. 11, 1890,

at 11 o'clock a m for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following officers to be voted for at the coming November election.

County judge,
Sheriff,
County treasurer,
County clerk,
County school superintendent,
County surveyor

Also to transact such other business as may come before said convention

The several precincts in the county will be entitled to delegates as follows on the basis one delegate for each forty votes cast for Cleveland and Thurman in 1888 and one delegate for each fraction over twenty

	VOTES	DEL
Decatur, No 1	162	4
" " 2	109	3
" " 3	152	4
" " 4	149	4
" " 5	126	3
" " 6	120	3
" " 7	106	3
" " 8	153	4
" " 9	231	6
" " 10	181	5
" " 11	72	2
Austin	87	2
Blue Mound	119	3
Friends Creek	195	5
Harristown	112	3
Hickory Point	107	3
Illini	120	3
Long Creek	137	3
Macon	159	4
Maroa, No 1	169	4
" " 2	69	2
Milam	47	1
Mt. Zion	150	4
Niantic	197	5
Oakley	190	5
Pleasant View.	188	5
Wheatland	130	3
Whitmore	103	3

All democratic voters are earnestly requested to attend the primaries

By order of the Democratic County Central Committee J P DRENNAN, Chairman

CHARLES C LEFORGEE, Secretary.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Special meeting of Macon lodge No. 8, A F & A M. this (Saturday) evening at 7 o clock for work in the first degree. J D. Templeton, W. M., W. L Hammer, Sec

MATTERS OF FACT.

New fall hats—Miss Williams

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THE DEDICATION EXERCISES.

The Springfield Association and Dr. Gunsaulus at the Congregational Church.

The new Congregational church will be dedicated on Thursday, Nov. 20. The Springfield Congregational association will not meet until Nov. 18. The date first set was Oct. 28 but as the church could not be completed by that time, the meeting was postponed that its sessions might be held in the new building and the members might be present at the dedication. The first session will be held Tuesday, and the last probably Thursday afternoon That night the dedicatory services will be held, Dr. F. W. Gunsaulus conducting them and making the dedicatory address. His coming here is a strong mark of respect for Rev. W. C Miller, the pastor, and the church in Decatur, as his time is extremely valuable It is golden in more ways than one. He canceled two engagements to lecture to come here. A few days after being here he will lecture before the students at Yale university, and the Sunday after that will preach to the students of Cornell university Bishop Vincent said of all the men on the Chautauqua platform in the last 15 years, there is not one who can stand beside Gunsaulus.

Dr. Tompkins, of Chicago, secretary of the Congregational society, will be here all week, take part in the exercises and lend a hand wherever it may be needed.

Friday night following the dedication, Dr. Gunsaulus will deliver a lecture, probably the one entitled "A Chapter from the History of Liberty."

STRAY SCRAPS,

George R. Bohon is a new member of the Calumet club.

The Loyal Legion will meet this afternoon instead of Monday afternoon

W C Fern and others are organizing a fishing party to go to Spring Lake next week

The official census of Decatur as announced in the dispatches from Washington is 16,841.

If you wish to see a good comedy don't miss seeing "A Pair of Jacks" at the Grand tonight

Nineteen new members were enrolled in the night school of the Business College this week and five in the day school.

Rev. J. W McIntosh of St Louis, will arrive in the city this forenoon and begin a protracted meeting at Janes' chapel

William Bosomworth, a private in Co H., Sixty-Third regiment, Illinois infantry volunteers, living near Assumption, received notice of an allowance of an original pension of $10 yesterday.

The little four year-old daughter of Mrs Wm Hedenberg on South Franklin street fell off a fence yesterday and dislocated her shoulder Dr E J. Brown was called to repair the injury as far as human skill could do it

Dr D. J Swarts, of Auburn, Ind, is in the city to visit his son, Harry J. Swarts, the Wabash train dispatcher The doctor was surgeon of the One Hundredth Indiana, the "persimmon" regiment spoken of a few days ago in connection with the reunion of the One Hundred and Sixteenth Illinois. He and F J Blaine were members of the One Hundredth, and accordingly they had a little reunion of their own when they met yesterday.

Death of James Heaton

A. W. Heaton, of Long Creek, received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of his brother, James Heaton, of McPherson, Kan. His death was caused by progressive paralysis, of two years duration. He was for a number of years a resident of this county, and prominent as a school teacher in the public schools and for a time was a partner business with G W Scovill, of this city He moved to Kansas in the fall of 1884. He leaves a wife and one child He was about 43 years of age.

More Fish Cases

Sam Weizel was at Warrensburg yesterday serving on all the prominent citizens warrants, charging them with violating the fish laws There were thirteen in all Among others are Dave and Martin Albert, David E R tchie and George Bough They will appear for trial before Squire Hammer next Tuesday. Some of the defendants declare positively that they have not been near the river for more than a year.

Real Estate Transfers.

Henry Shlaudeman to Paulina Reubsamen, lot 3, block 1, George F. Wessell's addition to Decatur, $1,600

Samuel C Mugall to Elizabeth Young, two lots in Maroa, $1,000.

Sadorus.

Mr. Scott and family, of Savoy, visited his son north of this place on Thursday

J. F. Lewis and H. W. Sadorus attended the soldiers' reunion at Danville this week.

Allie Lewis has bought J. Field's harness shop and will continue business at the old stand

Rev. Kent, of Tolono, is holding a series of meetings at this place in the Baptist church

The farmers' picnic at Sulphur Springs was well attended, considering the bad weather

M. B. Gilbert and J. B. Rose, of this place, have been engaged to paint the new school building at Homer

Turner Clark is having his house renovated and papered up in style. Turner says he is now ready for a cook

George E Craw and wife, formerly of this place, moved to Sidell, where Mr. Craw will engage in the livery business

Miss McCoy closed her school the past week in order to settle up some business affairs relating to her grandfather's estate at Sidney

The Sadorus Cornet band will give an oyster supper and entertainment at Craw's hall, Saturday evening, Oct. 4. The exercises of the evening will consist of instrumental music, singing, recitations, etc One of the leading features of the evening will be a cake which will be sold for the most beautiful lady, and a cane for the handsomest gentleman We would say that the boys play extremely well considering the short time that they have had their instruments.

Oct. 3

Northeast Decatur.

Mrs Sam Sterling is on the sick list.

Mrs James Allsup is still under the care of the physician

Godfried Nagaschewski's little boy of East Orchard street, has diphtheria.

Mrs. Lyons, of East Orchard street, has all she can do visiting the diphtheria cases.

Charles Shaniel's four children are afflicted with diphtheria. All but one is getting along nicely.

Moving in and out of Northeast Decatur seems to be the order, as every day brings around new changes.

Mrs. Ward, mother of Mrs. Cronenburg, of North Clayton street, will start for Mexico this evening to spend the winter.

Ike Lowe dug about 30 bushels of potatoes of his own raising, besides what he used through the summer. This is the largest crop of potatoes we have heard of in this section.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Hugh Crea is at Chicago

John Prestley went to Springfield yesterday afternoon

J. H. Bennett went to Springfield yesterday on business.

Mrs. Thomas Andrews went to Chicago yesterday morning.

John G. Imboden returned yesterday from the state fair at Peoria.

Mrs. F. L Hays and daughter, Madge, returned from a visit in Ohio.

G W Brown, Jr, went to Peoria yesterday to remain over Sunday.

Mr and Mrs W. C. Dimock and daughter went to Peoria yesterday.

Mrs. W. M Harsha and youngest child are guests of Ed Bishop and family.

Walter Strange saw the big cabbages, etc., yesterday at the state fair in Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Myers have returned home from a week's visit at Danville.

Frank Ater and Miss Barnard were in Decatur yesterday from Cerro Gordo.

Mrs. H. C. Jones and children will spend to-day and to-morrow with friends at Cerro Gordo.

Mrs T. P. Matthews left yesterday afternoon for St. Louis She will visit friends there for a week.

Miss Florence Hale, of Bement, is visiting her sister Mrs. William Logan, at 185 West Decatur street.

Major Connelly, of Springfield, was in the city a few hours yesterday. He went on to the capital city.

Mrs I. W. Hutchin returned yesterday to her home at Clinton after a visit here with her son, Walter Hutchin.

Capt. M. Wallace and wife, who have been visiting here, returned to their home at Humboldt, Kas, last night

Misses Ottie and Mabel Alexander returned yesterday afternoon from Franklin, Ind, where they have been visiting

Miss Minnie M. Bigelow, a teacher in the Jasper street school, left Thursday evening for Indianapolis to attend a wedding

H. I. Massey, for some time in the boot and shoe business here, is in the city the guest of his sister, Mrs C. C. Stoddard.

E M Merriweather left last night for Hannibal, Mo, accompanying his cousin, Miss Annie Merriweather, who has been visiting here.

Rev. Charles E. Heidel, of Belleville, Ill., was in the city yesterday He went to Moweaqua yesterday to hold quarterly meeting to-day and to-morrow.

A F Ross and two children returned yesterday morning from a visit of ten days in Cincinnati and Kentucky. They were accompanied home by Mrs Theodore Alexander, a sister of Mrs. Ross, and her son.

J. T Denton left yesterday afternoon for Warsaw, Mo. He received word that Mrs. Balliet, his mother-in-law, was very sick at that place Mrs. Denton, who has been in Ohio visiting, is also on her way to Warsaw.

Harry C. Stanley arrives in the city this morning from Bloomington with "A Pair of Jacks Co." and will be the guest of his father-in-law, Jacob Maxwell Mrs Stanley, who has been visiting her parents, goes with her husband to St Louis, Sunday morning.

To-Night.

Of 'A Pair of Jacks," which will be given to night at the opera house, the Aurora News said on Oct. 1.

That ludicrous performance, "A Pair of Jacks," was rendered at the opera house last evening to a large and delighted audience The cast was good, very good, and the frequent hearty applause with which the efforts of the company were received, demonstrated the complete satisfaction of of those for whose benefit the play was given The troupe contains more than ordinary meritorious talent, and they will be warmly velcomed to our city should they make their appearance here

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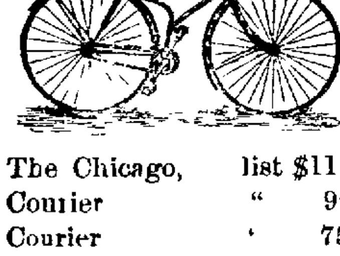

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Estate of Charles W. Logan deceased The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles W Logan, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the First Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned

Dated this 26th day of September, 1890

W. J QUINLAN, Administrator.

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The Woman's Industrial and Charitable Union, Office at 206 North Park Street.

The Woman's Exchange offers Saturday:

Salt rising bread,	Parkerhouse rolls,
Doughnuts,	Home made pickles,
Saratoga chips,	Pies
Salads,	Codfish balls,
Honey,	Mushrooms,
Deserts,	Home made candy,
	Cookies.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

Notices not exceeding five lines will be inserted in this column one week for twenty-five cents payable in advance

WANTED.

WANTED—Plain work at my home, can do any kind of work; sewing or washing preferred, 621 E Edmund St.

WANTED—To work for a private family Best of reference given Address A. R Hayden, Boody, Ill.

WANTED—To trade, a piano, horse, harness and phaeton for good residence lots in this city. Call at room 1, second floor, No 252 North Water street, Decatur, Ill

WANTED—The people to know that I keep a general line of fresh clean groceries Also all kinds of Hay Straw Corn Oats, and all kinds of mill feed, will sell cheap Satisfaction guaranteed, goods delivered to any part of the city John Ray 620 East Eldorado street

WANTED—You to know that you can buy of Scovill anything to furnish your house with, and pay for it by the week or month, and have the goods delivered when the first payment is made No security, no reference, no publicity, Scovill's 215 south side park, Decatur Ill

WANTED—Agents to canvass for books. good profit Liberal cash premiums call at 534 West Main St, at 9 o'clock, this Morning.

WANTED—Salesmen to solicit for our well-known Nursery Good wages paid every week Permanent employment guaranteed, Write at once, before territory taken, stating age CHASE BROS, Chicago, Ill

FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE—The home farm of the late John Hanks, 4 miles northwest of Decatur, is now for sale Call on Bunn & Park

FOR SALE—A good stock of groceries in g od lo ation with good trade Address A1, this office

FOR SALE Show case, ice box, and empty whisky barrels at 547 Front st

FOR SALE—A second hand A 1 phaeton with leather top and side curtains, lately repainted and practically as good as new, will be sold cheap. Call on or address Dr M H Farmer, room 6 Fenton Block

FOR SALE—House and lot, corner of West North and Mercer street, lot 60x150 feet, 5-room house in good repair, good well and cistern. Want to sell immediately. Apply to George T. Tucker, Republican office or Mrs I. J Davis at 561 South Church st.

I HAVE Some houses and lots to sell on easy terms from $100 to $500 down, balance on monthly payments. A. O BOLEN, over Millikin s bank

TO TRADE 320 acres of good smooth rolling land in Kimball Co Neb for good residence in Decatur., Address box 743 Pawnee Neb

I HAVE Some choice building lots, will build you a house to suit you, will take small cash payment down and monthly payment for balance. A. O BOLEN, over Millikin s bank.

STOLEN—From my farm 8 miles south of Decatur, Tuesday afternoon, Sept 30, a light red setter dog pup, 5 months old, white line down face and white on breast A reward of $5 will be paid for the return of the pup to James Hollinger's barber shop Marion Cochran.

FOR RENT.

TO RENT—A Cottage of seven rooms, with pantry, dry cellar, good water of both kinds, plenty of shade and every convenience needed Street cars pass the house every 10 minutes. Adults preferred; address "X this office.

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GREAT CUT—In carpets and wall paper at Abel's carpet house

BOUGHT, SOLD and exchanged, furniture and stoves at 248 East Main st

THE—Kepley Orchestra, new music and the veteran violinist, Mose Allison. Engagements filled at reasonable rates to suit an, occasion. Address C H Kepley, 232 Bradford street, Decatur

TWO Good men to sell carpets and household goods on payments Liberal pay to the right parties New York Installment company, 112 North Franklin st

HINES ACO—Have removed their business second hand furniture, from North Water street to North Main street, where they will have a much larger building in which to show their extensive line of furniture and stoves We solicit a fair share of the patronage in our line, Remember our motto is "small profits and quick sales" We also buy all kinds of second hand goods, Our place of business is across from the Herald Despatch office. Hines & Co

GOOD CLOTHES Tailors who are competent to do good work do not hesitate to join the Jour Tailor's Union Nine of the ten men who do not belong to the Union are not competent to do good work If you want good work see that it goes to Union Tailors Then there will be no danger of you wearing a mis-fit suit of clothes. The firms whose names are given below employ only union tailors.

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Athletes Praise it Highly.

656 Minna St. San Francisco, Cal, May 3, 1887.

Some time ago, while a member of the Olympic Athletic Club, I sprained my knee severely and suffered agony, but was speedily and completely cured by St. Jacobs Oil.

JOHN GARBUTT.

Jumped from Engine.

609 S 17th St, Omaha, Neb, Sept 22, 1888.

I jumped from an engine in collision, and strained my ankle very badly. I used canes for weeks. St. Jacobs Oil completely cured me G ROEDER.

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE

Is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE

DR. SANDEN'S ELECTRIC BELT

WITH SUSPENSORY FOR WEAK MEN

UNAPPROACHABLE BARGAINS

—AT THE—

NEW STORE.

To start the season with a boom we have decided to offer the following grand bargains for this week at prices that will never be duplicated.

25 Dozen corsets worth 45c, our price 30c.
25 " " " 65c, our price 48c
30 Pieces 40 inch dress flannel at the low price of 23c a yard
20 " 30 inch all wool dress flannel worth 37½c for 28c a yard.
15 " plaid dress flannel 38 inch wide for 25c a yard
15 " handsome dress plaids for 32½c a yard
15 " " " " 40 inches wide 45c a yard
30 " 36 inch Henrietta worth 25c, our price 17½c a yard
25 " 42 " " " 50c, our price 35c a yard
36 Dozen gents' Scotch mixed shirts and drawers at 37½c
36 " " " " " " " at 50c
36 " " medicated scarlet all wool shirts and drawers worth $1.00, our price 75c.

A BIG BARGAIN.

36 Dozen ladies' Merino vests and pants worth 50c for 37½c.
25 " " grey mixed ribbed vests for 50c

A SPECIAL DRIVE

In blankets and comforts. Special bargains direct from the factories, two cases of remnants of Turkey Red Table Damask at half value. Seeing is believing. Come and see how you can save money at the

NEW STORE

Next to Millikin's Bank.

S. HUMPHREYS.

Agent for Standard Patterns and Dr. Strong's Health Corset.

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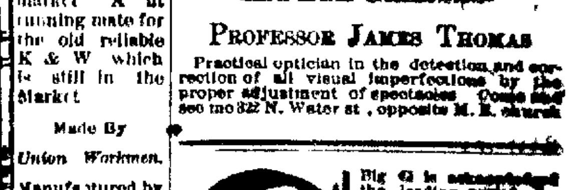

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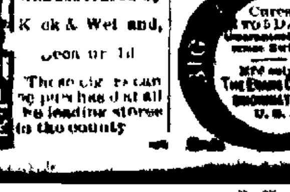

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TRY : IT : ON : A : DOG.

What is the difference (From a Clothing point of view) Between a man and a dog?

A dog makes pants that he don't wear.

A man wears pants that he don't make.

FUNNY THING

About the dog is, that he has no use for pants in winter. His pants are all Summer pants. And talking about

PANTS

Reminds us that we have a stock of them that will make you glad you are alive. Nothing noisy in the patterns nothing gay or gaudy, but just the right thing you know.

AS FOR FIGURES,

We'll get you there, for there isn't a chance of our prices being out of your reach. Ramble round our way and see.

THE B. STINE CLOTHING Co.

FACTS FOR BUYERS

OF

WATCHES and JEWELRY, EXAGERATIONS UNNECESSARY

There is no instance where we have ever been UNDERSOLD on any article of equal value.

Largest variety we have ever shown this early in the Fall season.

Our entire attention is given to the Legitimate JEWELRY BUSINESS.

W. R. ABBOTT & CO.

WORTHY OF NOTICE !

We desire to call particular attention to the fact that our stock for

FALL AND WINTER TRADE

Is the largest we have ever shown Black silks, sida cloths, brilliantines, plaids, etc , in splendid variety. Our

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT,

In charge of Miss Annie McDonald, is the most extensive and complete in Central Illinois,

Light expenses spot cash purchases, and a willingness to do so, enables us to name lower prices than any other house.

Careful inspection solicited

Respectfully,

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In Styles and the Nicest Candies in the City at

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NEW STORE | OPERA BLOCK.

A Large Business This Season Must be a Necessary Result of the Large Stock of Woolens in Our Tailoring Department and the Celebrated Dunlap Hats in Our Hat Department

You need not go about from store to store this season to find an assortment of suitings moderate in price and superior in quality. You can find everything in our stock that can be found in all the other stocks of woolens in the city Whenever you want a fine suit made to order, or the correct style in hatwear, be sure and call at our store where the latest and nobbiest styles are always kept in season

I W EHRMAN

The Leading Merchant Tailor, Gents' Furnisher and Hatter.

MORNING REVIEW

SATURDAY OCTOBER, 4 1890

MATTERS OF FACT.

Go to Miss Williams for your stamped linen and embroidery material

Go to Miss Williams for your stamped linen and embroidery material

See Miss Emma Williams' display of millinery

Chair pillows free at Irwin's pharmacy.

Great reduction in family syringes this week at Irwin s pharmacy

The rains have set in and some of you have got wet feet. Dont do so again You can avoid it by taking your footwear to E W. Chandler in Tabernacle building for repairs.

Notice All toilet articles and druggists' sundries at Irwin's pharmacy are marked in plain figures at bottom prices

Henry Bros ' bakery is the place for a good meal or lunch. Bread delivered to any part of the city

The second annual ball, A O H will be given at Guards Armory, Tuesday evening, October 14th Tickets $1 00 A good time is expected Music by Goodman's orchestra.

We want you to visit whether you buy or not We will not insist upon you buying against your inclination or judgment, but we will show you the nicest line of new carpets, wall paper, curtains, oil cloths, linoleums, Chinese, Japp and Cocoa mattings that was ever brought to Decatur.

ABEL'S CARPET STORE.

Dissolution Notice.

The partnership heretofore existing between R. A Wilson & William Wilson, under the firm name of Wilson Bros , grocers, at No 801 North Water street, is this day dissolved by mutual consent William Wilson will continue the business at the old stand, and R A Wilson will retire. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the late firm, will please call and settle, and all persons having claims against the above late firm, will present them for settlement

R A WILSON
Oct 1, 1890 WILLIAM WILSON.

Attention, Ladies.

Owing to the fall and winter opening, Mrs. Einstein's store will be open every evening this week.

Forced to Leave Home.

Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call at their druggist's for a free trial package of Lane's Family Medicine If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order; if you are constipated and have headache and an unsightly complexion don't fail to call on any druggist to day for a free sample of this grand remedy The ladies praise it. Everyone likes it Large size packages 50 cents.

Hold it to the Light.

The man who tells you confidentially just what will cure your cold is prescribing Kemp's Balsam this year. In the preparation of this remarkable medicine for coughs colds no expense is spared to combine only the best and purest ingredients. Hold a bottle of Kemp's Balsam to the light and through it; notice the bright, clear look then compare with other remedies Price 50c. and $1 3

Confirmed.

The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreeable liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs a few years ago has been more than confirmed by the pleasant experience of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers of the California Fig Syrup company.

"Art is long and time is fleeting," and it is too bad to spend half of a short life distressed with neuralgia, when 25 cents spent for one bottle of Salvation Oil will cure it quickly.

George Conklin, the lion tamer, says he will have nothing to do with cross eyed animals, nor use any other remedy for his coughs and cold but Dr. Bull's cough syrup. He says it is the only reliable cough medicine to be had.

A PASTOR WELCOMED.

THE BAPTISTS GIVE MR. TORREY A RECEPTION.

It is Marked by Originality, Cordiality, and Warm Hearted Enthusiasm—Decorations — Addresses From the Different Societies—A Sketch of Mr. Torrey's Life.

The Baptist church gave their new pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. Charles E. Torrey, lately from Norwalk, Conn , a reception last night which was as cordial as earnest words, thoughtful deeds and careful preparations could make it So much was done, and so well done, that there can be no doubt about the new minister being welcomed with unlimited enthusiasm. It is a fact, very apparent, that Mr. Torrey is already well liked by his congregation.

The reception was held in the auditorium of the church. The pulpit end of the room was transformed by the tasteful and beautiful decorations Dozens of plants and numberless clusters of cut flowers were arranged most effectively. This, by the way, was the work of Mrs. Henry Wood, chairman, and Mesdames O. F. Spaulding, J. W. Kennedy, and O. N. Bramble, the committee on decoration. At the back of the platform was a bank 8 feet high and as many feet wide of flowers and plants, over which played a spray of water from a small fountain Over the bank was an arch of green, while green festoons hung from the pillars near the side of the church to the choir balcony. Inside the railing of the balcony was ranged handsome plants, which hid the rail and made the choir loft a bower. Over the big organ was a large floral anchor in red. At each corner of the platform was a group of plants and flowers in pots

The chairs in the auditorium were all filled by members and friends of the church The clergymen of the city were seated at the right of the pulpit The society of Christian Endeavor, the Temple Builders, and Young Ladies' Guild occupied seats in front of the pulpit, and the deacons of the church and their wives were seated at the left

At 7 45 the exercises commenced by the choir and congregation singing, 'Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow." Then Miss Clark at the organ played a march while the Sabbath school came from the chapel and marching up the aisles of the church took seats in the gallery. Misses Harwood, Drobisch, Jennison, Woods and Doake, sang a song of Welcome The Sunday school in the gallery joined in the chorus.

Then this program followed

Scripture reading, Rev. M. M Goodwin.

Invocation, Rev. W. H. Penhallegon.

Music, choir.

Address of welcome from the different organizations in the church, in this order:

The Society of Christian Endeavor—George Fruit.

The Young Ladies' Guild — Miss Minnie Bachman

The Board of Deacons—Dr I. H Clark

The Ladies' Aid Society — Mrs Henry Smith

The Pastor's Union — Elder F W Pinkerton

The Temple Builders — Miss Mabel Wilson

The Pulpit Committee—I A Buckingham.

A quartette composed of Messrs Bunn, Wood, Bowers and Gher then sang "Good Night"

At this point the program announced a a benediction by Rev Torrey, but he made a short address that was most happy, replying appropriately to all the welcomes that had been extended him, calling each by name Then he pronounced the benediction and a general handshaking followed

Rev. Torrey and his wife stood near the pulpit, and Henry Smith and J. E Saxton presented to them the people, who all came up

The choir of the evening was composed of Mesdames Spulding and Harwood, and Messrs Lindamood and C W. Montgomery E A. Gastman acted as master of ceremonies

REV MR. TORREY

is a native of Greene, Chenango county, N Y., and is about 40 years of age, having been born in 1850. His life until about 20 years age, was spent in his native county. He was for several years in his youth in business in Norwich, N. N , going from thence to New York City, where he was engaged in business. He has only been pastor of one church, that of Norwalk, Conn , which place he has filled for four years past to the joy and satisfaction of the church which reluctantly parts with him to come to Decatur

He is energetic in all his work, of cultured thought, full of force and vigor. He is identified with the society of Christian endeavor, having been the president of the Union Society of Norwalk. He is a sociable and genial gentleman and we speak for him a warm place in the hearts of all people of Decatur.

Mt. Zion.

Tom Smith and sister, Ida, were in Decatur yesterday.

Miss Aggie Feagan is visiting her aunt, Mrs J. C. Boyce.

W. C. Outten, of Decatur, transacted business here to day.

W B. Hunter's trips to Decatur are becoming somewhat suggestive.

Mrs. Kate Scott and her son-in-law, William Cox, are taking in the fair at Peoria this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts have returned from a three week's pleasant visit with relatives in Kentucky.

The republicans had their primary election this afternoon, and the delegates were instructed for Cochrane.

The foundation for Mrs. Scott's new house has been completed and the carpenters will begin work to-morrow.

Our little burg is in the midst of quite a building boom that gives our mechanics and laborers plenty of employment.

Lorance Riner would make a good street commissioner, as he is always seen with his shovel cleaning crossings after every rain.

Pipestone Minn., real estate appears to have taken a sudden fall as we hear no more of it lately. For a while fears were entertained that our little village would be depopulated, as most every one seemed bent upon going to that land of blizzards.

R L. Hockaday who has been to Hot Springs, returned Wednesday, very much improved in health but not in appearance. Next week he will vacate the City Hotel, and possession will be immediately taken by Pat Sullivan, who will conduct a first class hotel and lunch room.

Oct. 2

Farmers Their Own "Middlemen."

The Farmers' Mutual Benefit Association at Maroa, has purchased the lumber and coal business, together with the grounds and switch yards, of H. T. Ogilive, the deal being a cash one. The association will build an elevator on the grounds and make other improvements.

WILL RUBY RETURNS.

Surprised and Distressed—No Intention of Wronging Any One.

Will Ruby returned to the city yesterday. He was greatly surprised to hear while in Chicago of the reports that had been circulated to the effect that he had left to avoid paying his debts. Just as soon as these reports reached his ears he came back to Decatur to do what he could to straighten out matters It is unfortunate that his affairs have been given such publicity. His prompt return to the city speaks loudly in his favor, and shows as much as anything can that he had no wrong intentions in going away. That he may not suffer any ill effects from the statements published is the wish of his friends, of all who know him, and even of all who do not.

His side of the story is that he resigned his position at Abel's because he felt his services were worth more than he was receiving, and because he had received an offer of a good position with a leading carpet house in a western city. That position he had written to accept, and in the meantime he went to Chicago to visit friends. He had intended to remain there a few days and then return to Decatur. The stories about him caused him to cut short his visit. Here he has found those with whom he had accounts apparently not greatly alarmed He had received credit from many merchants, and has credit with them yet When he explained that he would settle with them before leaving finally, all were perfectly satisfied He had all the time had many friends in the city who maintained that he would wrong no one. Mr. Abel before he left, gave him a letter of recommendation. Others here will do the same yet.

PERSONALS

J. W Crane was a visitor yesterday to Bement

Thomas Morris and wife left last night for Kansas City

August Harpstrite went to Litchfield yesterday on business.

B. J Dorrel, of Illiopolis, transacted business in town yesterday.

M Schroeder made a business trip to Bement and Hammond yesterday

Rev C. E Torrey was moving into the north flat of the St. John's flats.

Mrs. H. P. Page and Mrs. W. C. Outten spent yesterday at Hervey City, the guests of relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Buck were moving yesterday into their new house at the corner of Water and Eldorado streets

William Wickens and family, of Marietta, Ohio, are guests of the gentleman's brother, George Wickens, at 1038 North Church street.

L D Vandever, the representative of Bradstreet's commercial agency, was looking up the standing of Decatur people yesterday.

D H. Conklin and wife, and A Stevens and family, went to Terre Haute yesterday in the special car of General Manager I. H Burgoon

Mrs S. S Wood and son, Austin Wood, of Lovington, left yesterday for Wilcox, A T , where another son of Mrs. Wood is lying quite sick

Mrs W. O. Parks returned last night to her home at Louisiana, Mo , after a visit at Decatur with her daughter, Mrs Della Anderson, and Misses Daisy and Nora Parks

William Montgomery, a resident of Scotland, who has been visiting in this country for some time, and has been in Decatur to see his friends, the Brenneman brothers and A W. Powell, left yesterday for his home across the water

Visitors yesterday W. G Simpson, Illiopolis, Mrs H. C. Montgomery, Mrs R. T. Allison, Mrs. William Brooks, Mrs. Theodore Goodall, Mr. and Mrs William Moser, all of Macon, Green Simpson, wife and daughter, Niantic.

WRECK NEAR ST. LOUIS.

Train No. 43 Has an Accident Yesterday Morning.

The third Wabash wreck in close succession occurred yesterday morning about a mile north of the relay depot at East St. Louis. Train 43 left here late, pulled by engine 560, Frank Blume engineer, and George Miller fireman. As the train went down the main track in the middle yards at East St. Louis, the rails of a defective switch spread under the weight and the locomotive and the forward five cars jumped the track and zigzagged along the ground. Switch engine 114 was standing on the next track waiting for 43 to pass, and was struck a slashing blow by the 560. Both of the locomotives were badly smashed, the train engine in particular being used up The pilot and forward trucks were torn off, cylinder and driver wrenched off and broken, cab smashed in pieces, and water tank completely wrecked. The switch engine did not suffer so severely but will require lots of repair. Its cab was broken off. Several thousand dollars will be required to make all the damage good Engineer Frank Blume was caught in the wreck and suffered a sprain of his right shoulder and wrist His injuries will not be serious however. Both main tracks were blockaded by the wreck and trains up to last evening had to switch around the obstruction.

Police Notes

George Smith appeared before Justice Curtis yesterday and pleaded guilty to the charge of shooting inside the corporation. He shot a gun toward a crowd of children, and consequently endangered them. Justice Curtis assessed him $3 and costs, which he paid The total amounted to $6.55.

J. E. Dalton forfeited a bond to Justice Provost yesterday. He had been arrested for drunkenness.

Henry Mock was found guilty of the charge on which he was tried before Justice Hammer Thursday afternoon. The decision of the justice was announced yesterday morning. He paid $10 and costs for being an inmate of a bawdy house.

A Good Sociable.

The biggest crowd ever in the hall of Decatur lodge of Good Templars was there last night. The occasion was a sociable that was both pleasant and profitable. There was a good program. Those who gave it were D. L. and Frank Bunn, Misses May McKenzie, Mina Nicholson, Etta Andrews, Kittie Seger, Katie Lehman, Lulu Elliott, Grace Trump, and Will N. Andrews.

Woman's Club.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the W. C. T. U. rooms, Monday afternoon, Oct. 6, at 2 o'clock At 3 o'clock Mrs. Millikin will tell the ladies something of Stratford on Avon and other points of interest in Great Britain. Members and friends are invited.

MRS M. M. T. RANDALL, Pres.
ANNA B. HENKLE, Sec'y.

"Fantasma "

Bills were going up yesterday for the appearance here on Oct. 10 and 11, of Hanlon's "Fantasma."

THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

Another Onslaught Upon the Present Managers of the Road.

The following statement by the disaffected stockholders of the Illinois Central railroad company has been prepared in the form of a circular for distribution among their fellow stockholders

The following comparison between the financial condition of the Illinois Central railroad company in 1881, and the financial condition of the same company in 1890, as shown by the directors' reports, is submitted:

Dec 31, 1881 —Share capital $2 900 000; funded debt, $9,75 000, annual interest charge $528 500; net income available for dividends and improvements, $3 133,700 And it is stated in the report for 1881 that after deducting the current value of securities owned by the company the charge upon the property might be regarded as reduced to the share capital.

June 30, 1890.—Share capital, $40,000,000; funded debt, $68,000,000; annual interest charge and rentals, $2,967,000; net income available for dividends and improvements, $2,614,066.

In other words, the Illinois Central company in the space of eight and one-half years has increased its share capital and funded debt $70,000,000 at least, or, upon the basis of its 1881 report, $80,000,000, it has increased its annual interest charge over $2,400,000 and its annual net income has decreased more than $500,000. What is there to show for this appalling accumulation of debt and interest? and what encouragement is there for the stockholders to put $5,000,000 more into the concern by increasing the share capital to $45,000,000, as requested by the directors?

REPUBLICAN SOIREE

At the Deming Last Night—Party Leaders Entertain Capt. Rowell

Hon. Jonathan H. Rowell and his son, Chester H. Rowell, were at the Deming last night until time to take their train, the I C. north to Bloomington, at 9 45, and consequently had some spare time on their hands But it was not wasted Capt Rowell is never lonesome when in Decatur, unless for a disinterested friend. He never lacks for company and conversation from the time the leaders of his Decatur constituents meet him at the depot until he boards the train for his Bloomington home at night. Yesterday was no exception At the Deming he held a regular levee for the numerous leaders of the faithful who came to see him on various pretexts. The prominent republicans sat around in a circle in the hotel office and took their turns at private audiences with the congressman who controls the Federal patronage here. What kind of favors they wanted to ask of him, of course no one knows. Among the republican leaders present were Major M F Kanan, Virgil N. Hostetler, Dr W F Calhoun, James Freeman, Capt. R. P Lytle, R J Roberts, Capt. John A. Barnes, Maj George R. Steele, S. T. Keeler and other party workers who stayed with him till train time

Bands at Peoria.

Goodman's band came back from Peoria last night They left before the result of the contest was made known, and therefore couldn't say whether they got a prize or not. They were not very enthusiastic, however. The management of the contest at the fair was bad. It had been announced as a contest for amateur bands, but a Pullman band was there with 20 members from Chicago who do nothing but play. The leaders of the DeMolay band, of Bloomington, Juvenile of Jacksonville, Duke's of Peoria, Goodman's of Decatur, and one or two others, all joined in a big kick against playing the Chicago people, but it didn't make any difference Then they had a grand march with all the musicians in line, about 200, and afterwards each band played a number. Goodman's band played a selection from Tannhauser. Pullman's band was playing when the Decatur boys left.

The prizes were $125, $75 and $50 All competing bands had their expenses paid If the Pullman band is admitted it will get first money Bloomington probably second, and either Jacksonville or Decatur third

Depot Solicitors Quarrel.

There is war between some of the street car and hotel solicitors at the depot. Thursday night S. W. Sherwood, who is the runner for the Brunswick hotel, was accused by Frank Marsh, a Citizen's Line conductor, of soliciting for the Short Line Sherwood denied it, and yesterday morning had Marsh arrested for using profane language He pleaded guilty before Justice Curtis and paid a fine of $3 and costs, a total of $7 45

Marsh then retaliated by swearing out a warrant for Sherwood The latter stood trial before Justice Curtis and was convicted and fined, the total for him to pay being $11.10

Marsh also swore out a warrant for Sherwood charging him with soliciting for the Brunswick hotel without a license. He says that when that case is finished another one is to be produced charging Sherwood with soliciting for the Short Line without a license. If all these are true there will be considerable fun out of it before the case is ended.

"Hilarity."

Charles A. Loder, the German comedian, drew a thin house to the Grand last night to the play of the above name. He himself is good as a low comedian in German character. Nothing favorable can be said for the play, and not much for the other people, though there were some single good gags, and Chris Green did some good musical imitations. The audience was exceedingly appreciative.

Deaths.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. John Grunskowsk died at their home, 552 Allen street, Thursday, aged 4 years, 1 month, 23 days. The child died of diphtheria. Funeral will be from the house at 10 this morning.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Grove, died yesterday morning. The funeral will be held to-day from the home of the parents.

A Rusty Nail.

The son of Officer John Williamson had a rusty nail run through his foot Thursday night, and he suffered a great disillusionment.

Deferred.

He—Oh, Ethel, promise me you will be my wife

Ethel (who is packed up to go away for the summer)—No, George, I cannot; at least not until my return in October.—Washington Star.

He Wanted the First Course.

"Please, ma'am, can't you give me some dinner? I haven't had a bit all day."

"But you have a big pie there in your pocket."

"That's for dessert, ma'am."—Harper's Bazar.

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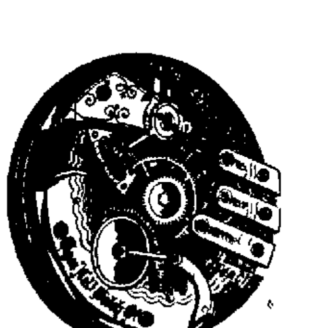

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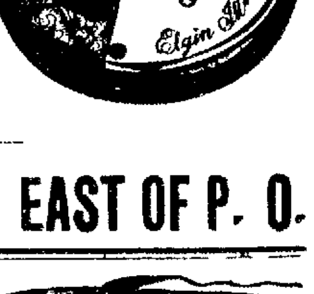

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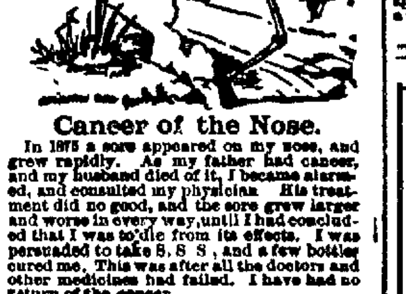
A Trolley Burned

A Short Line car was going around Lincoln square last night about 11 o'clock When near Armstrong's drug store a brilliant blaze shot four feet in the air from the trolley and for two or three minutes made a light that must have been about ten million candle power The few people around at that hour thought the whole square was on fire and rushed out to see what chance there was of getting away with their lives The trolley fell off presently, however, then there was a darkness that was painful The trolley simply burned up

After Pointers.

W L Ferguson and William Shellabarger, of the Citizens Line company, and Sol Ray, the engineer of their plant, have returned from Peoria, where they went to investigate the electric railway and to see if any improvements might be adopted in our own jail and prisons



Cancer of the Nose.

In 1875 a sore appeared on my nose, and grew rapidly. As my father had cancer, and my husband died of it, I became alarmed, and consulted my physician His treatment did no good, and the sore grew larger and worse in every way, until I had concluded that I was to die from its effects. I was persuaded to take S. S S , and a few bottles cured me. This was after all the doctors and other medicines had failed. I have had no return of the cancer

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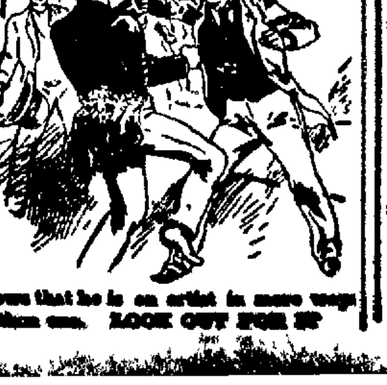

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